## CITY OF SCOTTSDALE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

## INTERPRETATIONS & APPLICATIONS OF BUILDING CODES & REGULATIONS #88-9

CODE SECTION: UBC 709.

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## SUBJECT: PATIOCOVERS

All patio covers shall be protected with a one-hour fire-resistive wall with a 30 inch parapet under the following conditions:

- 1. Combustible patio covers located less than 3 feet from an adjacent property line.
- 2. Non-combustible patio covers located less than 1 foot, 6 inches from an adjacent property line.

When required, the 30 inch parapet may be substituted with a one-hour roof-ceiling assembly in the following manner:

- 1) Where the roof-ceiling framing members are parallel to the one-hour wall, the one-hour roof-ceiling assembly shall extend at least 5 feet from wall.
- 2) Where the roof-ceiling framing members are perpendicular to the one-hour wall, the entire span of such framing shall be of not less than one-hour fire-resistive construction.
- 3) Openings in the roof shall not be located within 5 feet of the one-hour wall.